

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 3790

Masaaki KIYOMIYA et al.

Art Unit: 2652

Application No.: 10/659,382

Examiner: Miller, Brian E.

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DEVICE FOR SUPPORTING AN OPTICAL DISC DRIVING DEVICE

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Date: May 16, 2006

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated December 16, 2005, the period for response being extended from March 16, 2006 to May 16, 2006, by the attached Petition For Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 5.